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TITLE:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A HOST COMPUTER AND COMMUNICATION DEVICES IN AN AUTOMATED MONITORING SYSTEM) AT))))	TY. DOCKET NO.: STAT1150

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Dear Honorable Sir:

The Final Office Action from Examiner Chang of Art Unit 2452, dated 17 November 2008, has been received and carefully reviewed. In response thereto, Applicant timely submits this Response and Amendment to Final Office Action and Request for Continued Examination Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 ("Response"). Applicant also respectfully submits that the cited references neither anticipate, teach, nor suggest the currently claimed embodiments of the present invention. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Application in light of this Response.